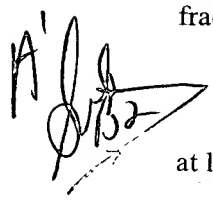


19. A process as claimed in claim 11, in which the feedstock is a gasoline cut from a catalytic cracking unit.

20. A process as claimed in claim 13, in which step (b) comprises separating effluent obtained from step (a1) into four fractions: a light fraction, a heavy fraction and two intermediate fractions, treating one of the intermediate fractions at step (d), and mixing the other intermediate fraction with the heavy fraction separated at step (b) before said heavy fraction is treated in step (c1) and/or step (c2).

 21. A process according to claim 11, further comprising subjecting effluent from at least step (d) to catalytic reforming. --

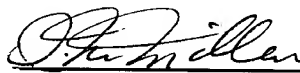
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**REMARKS**

Original claims 1-10 are replaced by claims 11-20 which do not contain multiple dependency and are otherwise editorially improved over the original claims. Consequently, Applicants facilitate examination and avoid the extra cost for the original multiply dependent claims of which claims 15-20 were improper multiply dependent claims. In any case, Applicants reserve the right to reintroduce claims to canceled combined subject matter.

New claim 21 is based on the specification.

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